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### NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): Wright et al.

COMPOSITE NEUTRON ABSORBING COATINGS For (title): FOR NUCLEAR CRITICALITY CONTROL

## **Enclosed are:**

- [X] 4 sheets of drawing(s). [X] informal [] formal
- [X] An assignment of the invention to Bechtel BWXT Idaho, LLC
- [] A certified copy of a \_ application.
- An associate power of attorney. []
- Declaration for Utility or Design Patent Application and Power of Attorney. [X]
- Information Disclosure Statement.
- [] Form PTO-1449 (together with citations).

#### Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16).

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# B-108, "COMPOSITE NEUTRON ABSORBING COATINGS FOR NUCLEAR CRITICALITY CONTROL"

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a Patent Application, Certificate of Express Mailing, 4 Pages of Informal Drawings, Executed Oath and Declaration, Recordation Form Cover Sheet in duplicate with attached Assignment, Fee Transmittal in duplicate, and a return receipt postcard.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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Date of deposit: February 4, 2002

I hereby certify that the enclosed Patent Application for <u>COMPOSITE NEUTRON</u> <u>ABSORBING COATINGS FOR NUCLEAR CRITICALITY CONTROL</u> is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Address" service under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.10 on the date indicated above in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, BOX PATENT APPLICATION.

Respectfully submitted this 4th Day of February, 2002.

Respectfully Submitted,

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